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Countrywide Home Loans Inc.,

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Plaintiff(s),

07-04047 EMC MED

Notice of Appointment of Mediator

Stewart Title Guaranty Company,

Defendant(s).

TO COUNSEL OF RECORD:

The court notifies the parties and counsel that the Mediator assigned to this case is:

> Robert F. Epstein Ragghianti Freitas LLP 874 Fourth Street, Suite D San Rafael, CA 94901 415-453-9433

Counsel shall familiarize themselves with the requirements of ADR L.R. 6 which governs the Mediation program. The mediator will schedule a joint phone conference with counsel under ADR L.R. 6-6 and will set the date of the mediation session within the deadlines set by ADR L.R. 6-4 or the court order referring this action to mediation. The court permits the mediator to charge each party its pro rata share of the cost of the phone conference.

Counsel are reminded that the written mediation statements required by the ADR L.R. 6-7 shall NOT be filed with the court.

Dated: December 10, 2007

RICHARD W. WIEKING Clerk Alice M. Fiel by:

/s/ **ADR Case Administrator** 415-522-3148 Alice_Fiel@cand.uscourts.gov